# TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

## **FISCAL NOTE**



HB 1130 - SB 1297

March 5, 2013

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Creates the *Unattended Donation Bin Act*, which creates requirements and regulations for donation bin owners and the operation of such bins. Requires a sign be placed on each bin describing the owning entity, including its name, address, telephone number, and whether it is a for-profit or non-profit organization. Any offense against this act is a violation of the *Tennessee Consumer Protection Act*, punishable as a Class B misdemeanor offense.

### **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

#### **NOT SIGNIFICANT**

## Assumptions:

- There will not be a sufficient number of prosecutions for state or local government to experience any significant increase in revenue or expenditures.
- It is estimated that any subsequent increase or decrease in charitable donations will result in no significant fiscal impact in regards to sales and use tax exemptions.

## **CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Lucian D. Geise, Executive Director

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